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Isabelle KAUFFER

Serial No.: 10/018,106

Group Art Unit: Not Assigned

Filed: October 30, 2001

Examiner: Not Assigned

For: COATING MATERIAL WHICH CAN BE THERMALLY CURED AND HARDENED
BY ACTINIC RADIATION AND USE THEREOF

Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Marjorie Ellis**Communication Regarding Notification of Missing
Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371**Hon. Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

On June 21, 2002, Applicants received a Notification of Missing Requirement Under 35 U.S.C. 371 for the above-identified patent application.

On January 11, 2002, Applicants submitted to the PTO an original executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the international application number and international filing date..

As proof that the document was timely filed, Applicants submit true copies of the following documents.

- Copy of the post card stamped and dated;
- Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371;
- Copy of the Completion communication;

- Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney

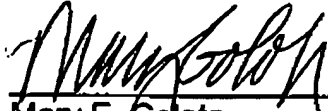
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In view of the above stated facts and documentation, Applicants assert that the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney was timely filed, and the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 was in error.

Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-3425.

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COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 USC § 371

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Sir:

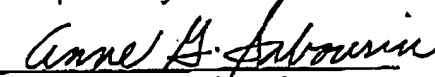
Submitted herewith is the original fully executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for the above-mentioned patent application.

The fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the declaration later than 20 months from the earliest claimed priority date was submitted with the entry into the U.S. National Phase under Chapter II filing.

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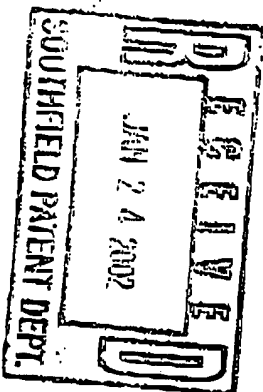

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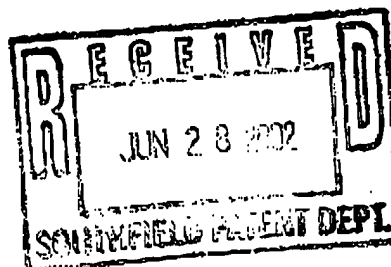


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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
- Copy of IPE Report
- Copy of references cited in ISR
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Information Disclosure Statements
- Preliminary Amendments

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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